

## YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers



### "Bugged by Pokes At Overweight"

Dear Ann Landers: I would like to take issue with you and others who write for newspapers and magazines. For years I have been bugged by your snide pokes at those who are a little overweight.

We are called "Blimps," "Waddling Ducks," "Baby Hippos" — and countless other unflattering names.

Why is it that no one ever says a word about the 50-year-old dame with a face like a dried prune wearing size eight Bermuda shorts and a halter top in the super-market? Her legs look like a canary's and invariably she is clomping around in a pair of wedges — usually gold.

Yes, I am one of the slightly overweight ones, as you may have guessed, but my husband says he'd rather have me this way than looking like a freshly-hatched chicken.

Thank you for letting me have my say. — P I E C E S P O K E N

Dear Spoken: You are welcome. And now that I have let you have your say I will undoubtedly be in bad with all the dried prune, canary-legged, size eight ladies in gold wedges.

Dear Ann Landers: I was jarred by your advice to the student who griped because the male teacher chummed up to the pretty girls in the class while the female teachers showed partiality to the handsome football players.

You said, "A little banana oil is an effective lubricant for the machinery of human relations."

Granted, but what can a (Continued on Page 12)

### At Retail Clerks Hall

## Jaycette Fashion Show Set Aug. 19

Lomita-Harbor City Jaycettes will present their "Styles for Autumn" fashion show on Wednesday, Aug. 19, at 8 p.m. at the Retail Clerks Hall in Harbor City.

New fall fashions will be provided by a Lomita shop and models will display the new hair fashions, which will be done by stylists from an area salon. Representatives from a cosmetic firm will be on hand to do the make-up.

Entertainment and background music will be supplied by "Chuck and the Falcons," a local combo featuring Chuck Merrill, Bob Merriott, John Roach, Dennis Arnold, and Andretta Callison, vocalist.

Mrs. Nancy Peterson, Jaycette president, has announced the show chairmen and committees. They are Mmes. Lew Phillips, invita-



OPEN TICKET CAMPAIGN . . . Ticket sales for the benefit Fashion Show slated by the Auxiliary to the Torrance Fire Dept. got under way this week. Plotting ticket distribution and sales are from left, seated, Mmes. Ronald Powers, show chairman, Charles Reintsma. Standing, from left, Mmes. George Blahnk and Mack Oetting. The show is set for Sept. 22 at the Torrance Recreation Center. (Press-Herald)

### Retarded Childrens Benefit

## Auxiliary Plans Fashion Parade

Auxiliary to the Torrance Fire Department has announced that its annual fall fashion show will be held this year on Sept. 22 at 8 p.m. at the Torrance Recre-

ation Center, 3031 Torrance Blvd.

An array of new fall fashion, introducing the lines, colors and fabrics will be shown by a local dress firm. The latest in hair fashions will also be on parade and will be the work of stylists at a Torrance shop.

A highlight of the evening will be the awarding of a three days and two nights vacation at the Hacienda Hotel in Las Vegas. There will be numerous other door prizes.

A dessert will be served by auxiliary members following the show. Proceeds from the fall event will go to the Auxiliary's major philanthropy, the Garden Valley School for Retarded Children.

On the fashion show committee are Mmes. Ronald Power, George Blahnk and Leonard Christian.

They will be assisted by board members, Mmes. Gilbert Pike, Denny Haws, Mack Oetting, Charles Reintsma and Richard Sprout.

Tickets are now on sale for this benefit and may be secured by calling any of the committee members.

### Returns Home

Mrs. Grace Hooper, former Torrance resident, left for her home in Oakland Wednesday after spending five weeks here.



DE ANN GOLDSMITH . . . Fall Bride-elect

## Couple Sets Nov. 28 As Nuptial Day

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Goldsmith, 22510 Warmside Ave., Torrance, entertained at a party Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Goldsmith on 226th St., during which the engagement of their daughter, De Ann, to Jim Appleby was announced.

The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Appleby of Long Beach.

The bride-elect, a 1961 graduate of Torrance High School, is attending Long Beach State College, majoring in elementary education.

Her fiancé was graduated from Jordan High School in 1961. He is an art major at Long Beach City College and is employed as manager of a record department with a Long Beach firm.

The wedding will take place Nov. 28 in Long Beach. Party guests were Messrs. and Mmes. John Goldsmith, Chester Goldsmith, Jay Goldsmith, James Anderson, Maynard Asper, Richard Kyker, Ernest Appleby.

Also, Gary Fredericks, Doug Sarvis, Dean Smith, Lois Wroge, Pam Slater, Loretta Goldsmith, Randy Goldsmith, Jan Arbaugh, and Charles Appleby.

### Attend Services

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McMullen, 1645 Beech Ave., and Mrs. Grace Hooper of Oakland attended services at the First Methodist Church on Pacific Avenue in Long Beach last Sunday. They were then dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Miller. Mr. Miller is an assistant pastor.



PLAN FASHION PARADE . . . These members of the Harbor District Chapter Women's Committee of the American Institute of Banking gather to work out final details for their outstanding social event of the year, the Kick-Off Luncheon and Fashion Show, set for Aug. 22 at the Edgewater Inn. They are, from left, seated, Betty Lutz, chairman, Bank of America, Main and Carson; Virginia Hass, standing, Bonnie Farquhar, Pacific State; Grace Stewart, United California Bank; and Neil B. Holder, Security. Tickets may be secured from the Women's Committee in any of the area banks. (Press-Herald)

### At Edgewater Inn Aug. 22

## Harbor Banking Unit Stages Annual Event

Harbor District Chapter Women's Committee of the American Institute of Banking will stage its annual Kick-Off Luncheon and Fashion Show on Saturday, Aug. 22, at the Edgewater Marina Inn, 6400 Pacific Coast Hwy., Long Beach.

Mrs. Lowell Lutz, Bank of America, Main and Carson Branch, in Torrance, is chairman of the event and will welcome members and guests at 12 noon. Theme of this year's gala affair is "Fashionable Goals."

Doris Stearns will serve as fashion coordinator and Marvin Cloyd, of Long Beach Civic Light Opera, will be the commentator.

Honored guests will be the Harbor District Chapter officers for the 1964-65 year, Patrick O'Connor, Newport Beach National Bank, president; Dean Andressen, Bank of America, Timeplan Hdqtrs., Los Angeles, first vice president; Robert Coreia, Crocker Citizens National Bank, South Bay, second vice president; Peter Weber, United California Bank, Wilmington, treasurer; Mrs. Fred Kepka, Bank of America, Port of Long Beach, District

7 chapter debate chairman; Mrs. Evelyn Brice, permanent chapter secretary.

An outline of the courses to be offered by the A. I. B. will be presented at this time.

Out-of-town invited guests representing the district will be the chairman from Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Orange, Riverside, San Diego, Citrus, Ventura, Arizona, and Hawaii.

The event is open to the public. Tickets may be secured from the Women's Committee in the banks of the area or at the door on the day of the fashion event.

### Oregon Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rusk and daughter, 1739 Lincoln, have returned from a two weeks vacation in Lebanon, Oregon, where they were guests of Mrs. Rusk's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Parker.

### Vacationing

#### In Tennessee

Miss Connie Eggleston, 3010 Antonio St., is spending a month in Tullahoma, Tenn., meeting for the first time, many relatives with whom she has corresponded for years.

Prior to flying to Tennessee, the local student attended a newspaper workshop for high school editors at USC, in preparation for assuming the editorship of TNT, Torrance High newspaper this fall.

## Ensign John DuBois Marries in San Bruno

In a double ring ceremony at the St. John's United Church of Christ in San Bruno, Calif. at one o'clock on June 27, Miss Susan Christine Sanford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanford of San Bruno, exchanged marriage promises with Ensign John Anthony DuBois, United States Naval Reserve, son of Mrs. James W. Whetston, 22628 Ladeene Ave., Torrance, and Mr. George DuBois, Rochelle, Ill.

The bride came to the altar on the arm of her father. She wore a sheath of silk organza. Chantilly lace, with pearls accenting the rose pattern, formed the front panel. She wore a bolero of Chantilly lace to which the cathedral lace train was attached. Imported orange blossoms formed the headpiece which secured the full veil. Her bouquet was of white orchids.

Mrs. Madeline Sanford Hill served her sister as honor attendant. She wore a pink satin dress with lace overskirt and a floating pink chiffon back panel. Her flowers were blue carnations.

James M. Whetston stood as his brother's best man and ushers were James Craig and Hunter Hill.

Rev. John W. Frank officiated at the marriage and nuptial music was played by Florence Zimmerman, organist.

A reception was held at Holiday Inn in South San Francisco attended by 90 guests.

The honeymoon was spent in Carmel and the newlyweds are at home in San Diego.

The bride was graduated from Capuchino High School in 1961. She attended the



DANIELLE MacHALE . . . Accepts Ring

## Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. L. Frank Clark, 2134 W. 238th St., Torrance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Danielle Marie MacHale, to Marvin Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Duncan of Dinuba, Calif.

A 1965 spring wedding is being planned.

Miss MacHale is a graduate of the Ambassador Christian High School. She is employed by the Pacific Telephone Co. in Los Angeles.

Mr. Duncan, a graduate of Reedley College, is employed by the Sun Maid Raisin Co., in Kingsburg.

### Attends Delta

#### Kappa Gamma

#### Convention

Mrs. Helen James attended the biennial convention of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society, international honorary organization for women educators, at the Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco, Aug. 12 through 15. About 2,000 educational leaders from the United States and Canada gathered for the convention.

Mrs. James, who is a consultant in elementary education for the Los Angeles County Schools, is the first vice president of the California State and a member of Gamma Eta chapter (Centinela Valley) of Delta Kappa Gamma.

At the convention, she served as chairman of a discussion group on Program and Committee Coordination as well as taking an active part in other phases of the work.

### University of Alaska and

#### Humboldt State at Arcata.

Her husband is a graduate of North High in Torrance. He was also graduated from Humboldt State and the United States Officer Candidate School in Newport, R.I.



MRS. JOHN DuBOIS . . . Weds Local Man (Ed Arnold Photo)



ATTEND OPENING NIGHT . . . A gala evening at the Coconut Grove was enjoyed by a group of area residents when they attended the opening night performance of the Vic Damone Show. Pictured are, from left, Mrs. Jack Salling, Mr. Salling, and Mrs. Bonnie Klink. Other localities in the party were Mr. and Mrs. John A. Barrington, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Riegel, and Mr. Charles Lever. (Irving Antler Photo)